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Mr. Conley,

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- The cover sheet that accompanied the response; and,
- 3) The result report, which indicates a successful transmission.

We look forward to receiving your further action in the case upon consideration of this response. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

James R. Hakomaki

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Sir:

This response is filed in reply to the Examiner's Office Action dated August 14,

2002.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In The Claims

Please cancel claims 1-4, 8, 10, and 12.

Please amend claim 5 as follows.

5 (amended) A pillow blanket for covering from neck to feet a user in an upright position, said pillow blanket comprising:

a substantially rectangular blanket having a planar first surface and a planar second surface, said blanket having two opposing first and second side